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TO: IMMEDIATE WHITE HOUSE/SITUATION ROOM FOR MR. PATRICK
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ITEM NO: WH-4

DATE: JUNE 15, 1979

SUBJECT: SOVIET ASSISTANCE TO AFGHANISTAN

REF: KABUL 3656, 121111Z JUNE 79, COM-7

DURING AFGHAN PRESIDENT NAGOR'S RECENT MOSCOW VISIT, THE
SOVIETS AGREED TO PROVIDE KABUL AN ADDITIONAL 6000 MILLION OF
ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE. A DIPLOMATIC SOURCE WHO OBTAINED HIS IN-
FORMATION FROM DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER NAMED ABDULLAH SAYS
THAT THE COMMITMENT WILL BE USED OVER THE LONG TERM ON 21 MAJOR
PROJECTS RANGING FROM A LARGE HYDROELECTRIC UNDERTAKING
TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A COPPER SMELTING PLANT. MOSCOW ALSO
GRANTED KABUL A 30-YEAR INTEREST FREE MORATORIUM ON THE REPAY-
MENT OF PREVIOUS LOANS VALUED AT 100 MILLION RUBLEX AND AGREED
TO PAY MORE FOR AFGHAN NATURAL GAS EXPORTS. E-2 IMPDET.

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